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Date: January 5, 2004

Docket No.: 2185-0715P

MS PATENT APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1.

This is a Request for filing a ☐ continuation ☒ divisional ☐ continuation-in-part application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) of pending prior Application No. 09/893,450 filed on June 29, 2001, the entire contents of which are hereby incorporated by reference, by

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for

A COLOR FILTER ARRAY HAVING A GREEN FILTER LAYER

1. Enclosed is an application consisting of specification, claims, declaration and drawings/photographs (if applicable).

2. \square The filing fee has been calculated as follows:

			LARGE ENTITY	SMALL ENTITY
	BASIC FEE		\$770.00	\$385.00
	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE FEE	RATE FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	9-20 =	0	x 18 = \$0.00	x 9 = \$0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3-3 =	0	x 86 = \$0.00	x 43 = \$0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS PRESENTED			+ \$290.00	+ \$145.00
		TOTAL	\$770.00	\$0.00

3.	\boxtimes	A check in the amount of \$770.00 to cover the filing fee and recording fee (if applicable) is enclosed.
4.		Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. A triplicate copy of this request is enclosed.

- 5. \boxtimes Enclosed is/are <u>four</u> (<u>4</u>) sheet(s) of formal drawings and/or photographs.
- 6a. A statement claiming small entity status was filed in prior Application No. 09/893,450 on _____. See the attached copy of the statement claiming small entity status.
- 6b.
 The current application qualifies for small entity status.
- 7. The prior application is assigned to <u>Sumitomo Chemical</u> <u>Company</u>, <u>Limited & Sony Corporation</u>.
- 8. A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed.
- 9a. Priority of Application No(s). 2000-198913 filed in Japan on June 30, 2000 is/are claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119. See attached copy of the Letter claiming priority filed in the prior application on June 29, 2001.
- 9b. Priority of International Appln. ____ filed on ____ under the Patent Cooperation Treaty and ____

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		Application No filed in on under 35 U.S.C. § 120 and/or § 119 are hereby reclaimed.
10.		An Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 form(s) are attached hereto for the Examiner's consideration.
11.	\boxtimes	Address all future communications to:
		BIRCH, STEWART, KOLASCH & BIRCH, LLP P.O. Box 747 Falls Church, VA 22040-0747 (703) 205-8000 or Customer No. 02292
12.		An extension of time for() month(s) untilhas been submitted in parent Application No. 09/893,450 in order to establish co-pendency with the present application.
13.		Also enclosed herewith is the following:
over _l fees	urrent paymer requ:	ecessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any at to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional ired under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; also extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachment(s)

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LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box Patent Application Washington, D.C. 20231

June 29, 2001 2185-0548P-SP

Sir:

Under the provisions of 35 USC 119 and 37 CFR 1.55(a), the applicant hereby claims the right of priority based on the following application(s):

Country

Application No.

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JAPAN

2000-198913

06/30/00

A certified copy of the above-noted application(s) is(are) attached hereto.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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